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Notice of Opposition of SCA Mölnlycke AB, to the grant of European Patent Application 93115757.2, filed February 2, 1998.

Exhibit 1: Notice of Opposition of McNeil-PPC, Inc., to the grant of European Patent 0,590,675/93115848.9.

Exhibit 2: Notice of Opposition of SCA Mölnlycke AB, to the grant of European Patent 0,590,675/93115848.9.

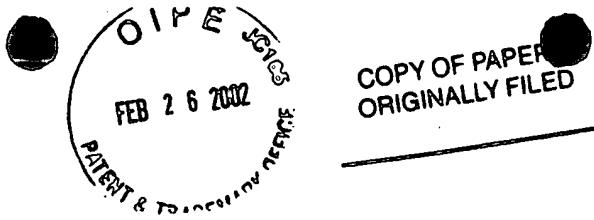


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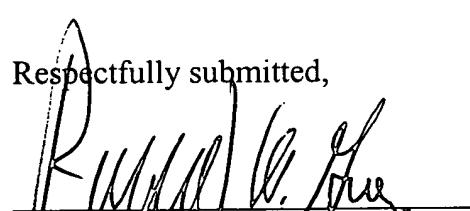
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